

HOUSE BILL 2043

By Sparks

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35 and Title 8, Chapter 36, relative to retirement of corrections officers.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-36-308, is amended by deleting the language "police officer or firefighter" wherever it appears in the section and substituting instead the language "police officer, firefighter, or corrections officer".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-36-308(a), is amended by deleting the language "police officer's or firefighter's" and substituting instead the language "police officer's, corrections officer's, or firefighter's".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-36-308(b), is amended by deleting the language "police officers or firefighters" and substituting instead the language "police officers, corrections officers, or firefighters".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-36-308(e), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (1) and adding the following as a new subdivision (2):

(2) For purposes of this section, "corrections officer" includes a corrections officer employed by this state, a municipality, or political subdivision of this state.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect January 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.